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Richards' Ranch Walnuts Moving To Markets Throughout United States



HARVESTING OF Walnuts is nearing completion at the 150-acre ranch of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Richards west of Porterville, with above pictures showing some of the ranch operations. Upper left, pickers gathering walnuts in the orchard, after the nuts have been knocked to the ground; upper right, nuts being dumped from sacks into large hopper after being trucked from grove and prior to being processed; center, Mr. and Mrs. Richards watch walnuts moving over the grading table after they have gone through huller and washer; lower left, dehydrator bins where nuts are dried before leaving ranch and lower right, a load of walnuts ready to be trucked to the Walnut Growers' association cooperative plant at Visalia. (Farm Tribune Photos.)

NUTS ARE PROCESSED AT RANCH PRIOR TO HAULING TO VISALIA FOR DISTRIBUTION THROUGH COOP.

Harvesting of an excellent crop of walnuts—well over a ton per acre—is nearing completion at the 150-acre ranch of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Richards west of Porterville, with the crop, after processing at the ranch, being trucked to the cooperative Walnut Growers Association plant at Visalia for shipment to markets throughout the United States.

Several steps are necessary before the nuts are ready to leave the ranch, first, of course, being picking, a job handled by field crews working on a per sack basis.

Shake Limbs

Shaking of tree limbs is accomplished by the use of long poles, up to 30 feet, and by pounding limbs with rubber mallets. Pickers gather the nuts from the ground after they have been shaken from the trees.

From the field, walnuts are taken to the ranch processing plant where they are dumped into a large hopper, are carried by a moving belt through a huller, through a washing cage, along a grading table and eventually into large dehydrating bins where they are dried for a period of 12 to 36 hours.

Loading Hopper

From the dehydrator bins, the nuts are moved by belt into a large loading hopper from where they can be dumped loose into trucks for shipment, or from

where they can be sacked. Mayettes, of which the Richards have above 20 acres, are shipped in sacks because of their softer shells; Franquettes, making up the balance of the acreage, are shipped in bulk to the Visalia plant.

Incidentally, after the walnuts are picked, they are not touched by hands again, except when culls are removed from the grading table.

Production of the walnut crop (Continued on page 10)

JADE LOOKS GOOD

"The best jade in California," was the rating given to the Lewis hill deposit northeast of Porterville by a representative of the California bureau of mines when he visited the location last week.

The jade deposit is under lease to Frank Janoko, Mike Janoko and Bud Alston of Porterville who have made some commercial sales. Extent of the deposit has not been determined as yet.

COURTHOUSE

Supervisor Jay G. Brown will discuss plans for the proposed new Tulare county courthouse at a meeting of the Poplar Farm Bureau center to be held tonight (Thursday) in the social hall of the Methodist church at Poplar. Officers will also be elected for the coming year.

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REYNOLDS WILL SPEAK AT BANQUET

John Reynolds, manager of the Central Valley Empire association will be the principal speaker at the Tulare County Cattlemen's association banquet Saturday evening in the Forestry building, Valentine street, in Porterville.

He will discuss the activities of his association in promoting various interests in the San Joaquin valley. Rolland Vandegrift, state legislative budget auditor, Sacramento, was forced to cancel his scheduled talk at the banquet because of illness.

Serving At 6:30

Serving of a barbecue dinner will start at 6:30 P. M., and a dance will follow the banquet. Persons attending are asked to bring their own table service.

Assisting the cattlemen with banquet preparation are members of the Cowbelles, women's auxil- (Continued on page 2)

RALPH JONES REELECTED SECRETARY

Ralph Jones, Porterville, was reelected secretary of the California Shorthorn Breeders association at a meeting of organization members held during the two-day association show and sale at Madera last Thursday and Friday.

Ralph Mehrten, Exter, was reelected president; John McArthur, of McArthur, was named vice president and directors include: Neil F. Hulbert, Auburn, Mrs. Katherine C. Dumont, Solvang, John McCollough, Santa Rosa, A. E. Floyd, Acampo, John Hooker, Merced and Hal Williams, Madera.

At the sale, 51 head of Shorthorns sold for \$20,230. Grand champion bull, shown by Hal Williams, was sold for \$785 to the Twin F ranch of Acampo.

SUCCESS DAM

Opinions favoring construction of the proposed Success dam on the Tule river were expressed at a final meeting of a Porterville chamber of commerce dam committee Tuesday evening, in letters from the Vandalla Irrigation district, the Pioneer Ditch company and, unofficially, by Norman Vossler from the lower Tule river area.

Committeemen attending the meeting were Bob Mishler, chairman; Bill Baird, Pete Holmes and Douglas Beattie. The committee, in the future, will present its findings to the Porterville chamber board of directors as a guide for official chamber action on the project. Opinions in opposition to the dam have been heard by the committee.

Virtual "City" Is Planned For State Hospital

Development of a virtual "city" is indicated by plans for the state hospital for epileptics that will be constructed southeast of Porterville, with contract for the sewage disposal plant and water storage tanks already let and with construction of buildings to start near the end of the first quarter of 1950.

Maps shown by state hospital officials in Porterville yesterday include, as the first \$7,500,000, 1,500-bed unit, 12 ward buildings, a hospital building, the sewage disposal plant and other facilities.

Eventual development calls for expenditure of an amount possibly (Continued on Page 9)

VARIETY OF SUBJECTS FOR COTTON MEETING

A variety of subjects will be discussed at the annual meeting of the California Farm Bureau Federation's Cotton department, to be held tomorrow, October 28, beginning at 9:30 A. M., in the Visalia Municipal auditorium.

State Chairman Eugene Hayes, Madera, has announced that highlights of the program will include the following talks: "Lint Identification Program of California Cotton," by Claude L. Welch, director, production and marketing division, National Council of America; "Farm Acreage Allotments Under the 1950 Cotton Marketing Quota Program," by Herman H. Willis, member, California Production and Marketing Administration committee.

"A Comparison of Acala 4-42 With Acala P-18," by Ray Provost, field manager, Producers Cotton Oil company. In addition the annual report of Mr. Hayes will be presented.

John Hester, chairman of the Tulare County Farm Bureau Cotton department, urges all persons associated with the cotton industry to attend the Visalia meeting.

LOWER TULE

An opinion concerning formation of the Lower Tule River Irrigation district is expected from State Engineer Edward Hyatt by next week at the latest.

In event Mr. Hyatt reports favorably on the district formation, as is anticipated, the Tulare county board of supervisors will hold a public hearing on district plans and will set an election date when voters within the proposed district will decide whether or not to form the district.

OIL WELL MAY HIT SAND "ANYTIME NOW"

"We may hit oil sand at anytime now."

This was the statement, yesterday, of George H. Hudson, vice president of the Hudson Oil company and geologist in charge of field operations, concerning the Hudson-Faye No. 1 wildcat just north of Deer Creek and east of Highway 65.

Drilling Ahead

The well is now drilling below 2,925 feet and crews are making from 20 to 25 feet in a 16-hour day, with about three and one-half hours of this time consumed in going in and out of the hole.

The bit is now in a shale, lime and graphite formation believed to be of the Cretaceous geological period. Definite showing of gas and oil, the best to date, are appearing on the well's settling tanks. This showing has been (Continued on Page 9)

FINE BOARS PURCHASED BY GLAVES & SON

Two fine, young Poland China boars have been purchased by A. D. Glaves & Son, Poland China



Iowa Prince

breeders on west Olive street, blood lines of these animals going back to champions in Colorado and Iowa.

Iowa Prince was obtained from J. F. Johnson, Norwalk, Iowa. Sire of this boar is Beau Prince 3rd by Beau perfect from the Peterson Brother's ranch and dam is Gold Nugget by All Dimensions from the Carl Hirsch herd.

The second boar, unnamed as yet, came from the R. B. Broad herd at Fort Collins, Colorado and was a second-place winner at the (Continued on page 2)

PROGRESS

Progress edition of The Farm Tribune will be off the press next week featuring the old days and the new days in the Porterville community. The edition will run in excess of 30 pages and will also include features on Porterville's 31st Annual Veterans Homecoming and November 11 celebration on Armistice day.

VOTE YES ON No. 2 SAY COUNTY ORGANIZATIONS

Pointing to the mounting costs of pension administration in California under the direction of Mrs. Myrtle Williams, State Director of Social Welfare, three Tulare County business organizations have gone on record favoring the passage of Proposition 2 at the special election on November 8.

Directors of the Exeter, Visalia and Tulare chambers of commerce unanimously passed resolutions condemning the continuance of the present method of handling pension payments and recommending passage of Proposition 2 to return sound business methods to this department of the State

government. "We have no argument with the payment of \$75 to the aged and \$85 to the blind each month," the representatives of Tulare county business said, "but we certainly do take exception to the method in which it is being handled."

"Already the State sales tax—the poor man's tax—has been increased and, we understand, the State may have to impose a State property tax to meet these mounting pension administration costs."

Rolland Vandegrift, Legislative Budget Officer, has estimated

the increase in pension costs to be \$90,000,000 during the current fiscal year.

"Such increases are without reason," the directors said, "and since Mrs. Williams does not have to answer to the Legislature or to the people of California, who pay the bill, they should be halted without delay."

"Proposition 2 will remove Mrs. Williams from office, retain the present pension payments and return administration control to the people through the Legislature. A 'Yes' vote is vital to the welfare of our State."

REYNOLDS

(Continued from page one)
 ary of the association. Presiding
 will be Freeland Farnsworth, pres-
 ident of the county cattlemen's
 association.

Also appearing on the program
 will be Ed Dick, secretary of the
 California Cattlemen's association.
 The banquet is a feature of the
 annual fall meeting of the as-
 sociation.

FINE BOARS

(Continued from Page 1)

Colorado State fair this year. He
 is sired by the senior champion
 boar of the Colorado State fair in
 1947 and his dam, a daughter of
 Projenitor, of the A. Clark Huber
 herd, is a litter mate of the boar
 that won the champion honors for
 three years in a row in the Colo-
 rado fair.

Farm Tribune Ads Get Results

LINDSAY CLERK
GETS 60 DAYS

Mrs. Bertha Mae Keith, former
 Lindsay city water clerk who dis-
 appeared with \$556.94 worth of
 public money and a man friend,
 last July, was sentenced to five
 years in prison in the Superior
 Court of Judge Fred Stone this
 week, but the sentence was lifted
 to 60 days with the provision that
 she pay back the city of Lindsay.

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THE GREAT WHITE FATHER
SAYS NO DOUGH FOR POTATOES

If there is any thought in your mind that government price support and subsidy programs can be maintained without government control, please note the action of the secretary of agriculture this week in announcing that growers of early potatoes in California will not be eligible for price support on their next year's crop.

The action is, of course, aimed at Kern county potato men who have consistently refused to accept proposed federal marketing programs. And since they won't accept—down comes the ax.

Now, there is nothing illogical about the decision of the secretary of agriculture in cutting off the potato price support. He could take no other action under the present farm program. And potato growers certainly should not be surprised, since they know by now that the great white father does not shell out unless his subjects play the game his way.

But the item that comes sharply into focus is this: Just how much control are we as farmers willing to accept for just how much money from the government? Are we willing to be regimented into a lifeless group who graciously accepts the government's generosity and thanks the government for telling us what to do; are we willing to do away with all price support and subsidy—at the same time doing away with direct control—or can there be a middle ground.

We won't even attempt to answer. But if you have some kids coming along, you better do some straight thinking on the farm program.

LINDMORE
GETS OK ON
PIPE LINES

Easements of 30 feet from the center line of certain county roads in the Lindmore Irrigation district were granted to the bureau of reclamation this week by the county of Tulare in order that the Lindmore water distribution system could continue as planned.

Some question had come up concerning legality of such a move and its future implications, however, upon recommendations of the Tulare County Planning commission and after considerable discussion, the board of supervisors granted the easement.

State Chamber
Meeting Slated
For Fresno

San Joaquin Valley council of the California State chamber of commerce will consider a variety of subjects at a meeting to be held tomorrow, October 28, at the Hotel Californian in Fresno, under direction of Gilbert H. Jertberg, regional vice president.

On the agenda are sessions dealing with agriculture, industry, natural resources, highways, taxes and travel and recreation. The all-day session opens at 9:45 A.M.

A crowd of about 300 persons attended the Horse Games of '49 sponsored last Sunday by the Orange Belt Saddle club at the Rocky Hill arena, east of Porterville.

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RESULTS OF LATEST RESEARCH IN MECHANIZED PRODUCTION OF COTTON TO BE SHOWN AT SHAFTER

By RALPH L. WORRELL
Farm Advisor

Visitors to the Cotton Mechanization Field Day at Shafter, on November 2nd, will be able to observe the latest research work being done in mechanizing cotton production, including several tests with spacing trials, thinned both by hand and by mechanical choppers. Some plantings will show varying rates of seeding with no thinning at all.

Weed Control

Tests for weed and grass control using chemical sprays after the last cultivation, flame, mechanical weeders in young cotton,

late cultivation with standard equipment, and hand hoeing are all on the program.

Plantings have been made on different type seedbeds and different cultural practices tried to find those best suited for mechanical harvesting.

New Equipment

The research workers of the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the University of California will demonstrate some of the newest equipment. Planters, rotary weeders, mechanical thinners, mechanical pickers, spray equipment, cultivators with shields for later cultivation, and flame weeders will all be on display.

The Field Day will be held at the U. S. Cotton Field Station at Shafter and is open to all interested cotton growers. The program will begin at 10 a.m.

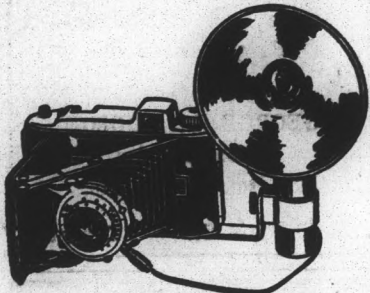
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Halloween Dance At Elks' Lodge

Porterville's Emblem club will present a Halloween dance Saturday evening at the Porterville Elks lodge, starting at 9:30 o'clock with music provided by the Quiram orchestra.

Aprons and jeans will be the order of the evening and refreshments will be served. The dance is open to Elks, Emblem Club members and their invited guests.

New officers of the Tulare County Senior 4-H club for the 1949-50 year, who were installed last week, are: President, Rodney Homer, Vandalla; vice president, Margaret Wilson, Burton; secretary, Emma Marie Michalk, Union; reporter, Virginia Andreas, Earlimart.

Production of forage from winter barley pasture may usually be increased by applying a nitrogen fertilizer. 40 to 50 lbs. of nitrogen per acre should be sufficient.

We Only Heard

By BILL RODGERS

QUITE EVIDENTLY Carl Elder has succeeded in illucidating to the point where his Porterville footballers are 'becoming cognizant of the definition of rock 'em, sock 'em' as related to the art of pigskin packing. Against East Bakersfield last week the Panthers began to look like an Elder-coached team.

AND SPEAKING of football calls to mind our four-year-old No. 1, who, after listening to last Saturday's football broadcast for awhile, asked, "Is a touchdown something?" To which we replied that if you are a coach and if your team is playing the big game and if your next year's contract is not signed, a touchdown can be definitely something... No. 1 demanded more details, so, as we listened to Michigan lowering the boom on Minnesota, we carefully explained that a touchdown is when some boys take a football and carry it across a line that some other boys don't want it carried across... We were complimenting ourselves for having answered the question in a completely explicit and simple manner, understandable even to the mind of a four-year-old, when No. 1 asked, "What does a touchdown look like?" after which we told her to run along into the kitchen and help mother. Daddy was very, very busy.

SPORTING EVENT of the century, any century, that is, occurred this week in Porterville, involving one Harry Britton, a cowpoke of little renown, who runs the telephone company in his spare time, and Jim Berkshire, the Berkshire of Berkshire's Palm cafe... Seems the boys got to arguing about calf roping and, after the air had been filled with explosive superlatives, Mr. Berkshire challenged Mr. Britton to the field of honor, or maybe it was vice versa, but, anyway, the roping event was on and last Sunday morning at the Rocky Hill arena was the time and place... Bob Nyswonger turned up as Jim's manager and advisor and George Bastian, picking a sure thing, since Jim hadn't been on a horse for 10 years, teamed up as second for Harry... As reported from usually unreliable sources and with no varifications whatsoever, the story is that Harry rode into the area, made four passes at a calf, completely exhausted himself, his horse and the calf and gave up with nothing but thin air in his loop... But he still figured he had nothing worse than a tie... He reckoned without knowledge of hard-riding "Buck" Berkshire, however. Jim came out of the chute, caught his calf on the first toss, forgot to take his dally, found himself on the ground with the calf, got back on his horse, got his dally and thereby won himself and his manager the best dinner on the menu—at Berkshire's Palm cafe, of course. Only comment of Mr. Harry—"What some guys won't do to sell a couple of dinners."

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FERTILIZATION OF GRAIN PAYS ON MANY TYPES OF COUNTY SOIL ACCORDING TO FARM ADVISOR

By RALPH L. WORRELL
Farm Advisor

Experiments conducted by the Agricultural Extension Service in Tulare County for a number of years have shown that fertilizing grain is a desirable practice on all but the best soils or following alfalfa.

Although large amounts of fertilizer are not necessary, nearly every experiment has shown that moderate amounts of fertilizer have increased grain production. Commercial fertilizer can be broadcast before the grain is planted, drilled in with the seed at planting time, or broadcast over the field when the grain is several inches high. Drilled in with the seed produces best results. However, if drilling equipment is not available broadcasting the fertilizer will be satisfactory.

Soil Types

The kind of fertilizer to use depends largely upon the soil type. Different soils vary in their ability to furnish nutrients to plants. Fertilizers must make up this difference. The following fertilizer recommendations are based upon soils which have had average cropping practices. Amounts should be increased for soils of low fertility or which have been heavily farmed.

Sandy loam soils, approximately 40 lbs. nitrogen per acre, from ammonium sulphate or ammonium nitrate.

Heavy clay soil and red hard-

pan soil, about 2 sacks per acre of ammonium phosphate 16-20. Adobe soil, about 2 sacks per acre of ammonium phosphate 11-48.

Minor Elements

Some indication has been found in Tulare County that minor elements such as zinc, copper and manganese may come into the fertilizer picture in the future. It is impossible as yet, however, to make definite recommendations for their use.

The Agricultural Extension service plans to maintain its program in the future of testing fertilizers for grain. Results will be made available to farmers to guide them in planning their fertilizer practices.

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DAIRY HERD IMPROVEMENT WORK RESULTS IN HIGHER PRODUCTION, GREATER RETURNS PER ANIMAL

By C. L. Pelissier
Farm Advisor

California cows under test in dairy herd improvement associations averaged more milk and butterfat in 1948 than the cows under test in any other state, according to recent reports on the re-

sults of dairy herd improvement association testing for last year.

The cows under standard test in California represented 20 per cent of the total cows reported under test in the United States. The national average for milk production was 8,675 pounds—California cows produced an average of 9,636 pounds. The national average for butterfat was 350 pounds—California cows produced an average of 395 pounds.

Value Proved

This proves the value of testing and using records for better dairy production. Culling unprofitable cows, feeding cows according to their individual producing ability, and developing around sound breeding programs based on the capability of the animals, can all

mean more money to the dairyman.

The average production of all cows in California last year was reported as 280 pounds of fat. The average of the cows in the dairy herd improvement association was 395 pounds, or 115 pounds above the state average.

Average Higher

At \$1.22 per pound, the average farm price California dairymen received for butterfat in 1948, members of the dairy herd improvement association averaged \$140 per cow more income for the year than other dairymen throughout the state.

Even though butterfat prices in 1949 are substantially lower, herds in dairy herd improvement associations still enjoy a big margin in gross income.

PRIZE OFFERED FOR BEST WHEAT

Wheat growers in Tulare county are being invited to participate in a state and national contest, sponsored annually by Philip W. Pillsbury, to select the best wheat produced.

Full information can be obtained from Ralph Worrell, assistant county farm advisor, post-office building, Visalia.

The FARM ADVISOR Says

Agricultural Extension Service,
Tulare County

Make the hems of glass curtains the same in width, top and bottom, so they can be reversed for even wear.

Tomato hot beds should be constructed now where soil fumigation is contemplated. Chloropicrin is the best soil fumigant for controlling nematodes and soil fungi.

Shasta strawberries will produce a light crop during November. The Lassen will produce fairly heavy the latter part of November in frost free areas of the county.

Dairymen who wish to do something to keep their cows out of the mud this winter have only a short time left to take action. A few improvements such as paving around feed and water troughs and installing eave drains on feed barns will help materially.

Haste makes waste when planting irrigated pasture. Sufficient time should be taken to get the land properly graded and thoroughly prepare the seedbed.

PROGRAM OF CITRUS FERTILIZATION IS RECOMMENDED FOR COUNTY AREA ON BASIS OF FIELD EXPERIMENTS

By H. C. MEITH
Assistant Farm Advisor

Citrus orchard fertilization is an individual problem in California, however, experience proves that most citrus districts have enough phosphorus and potassium in the soil but need nitrogen and organic matter.

Some of the common chemical nitrogen fertilizers are calcium nitrate, sodium nitrate, ammonium sulfate, ammonium nitrate, liquid ammonia gas and urea. A grower should choose these fertilizers on the basis of cost per pound of actual nitrogen. The amount necessary varies between orchards because of the difference in the age of the trees, soil type and cultural methods. Most groves need between 150 and 200 pounds of nitrogen per acre.

Animal Manure

The organic materials used most widely in California's citrus orchards are animal manure, alfalfa hay, bean and cereal straws. The more the soil is tilled, the greater is the need for organic matter, since these materials help to keep a cultivated soil in good condition.

The following general program of fertilization is recommended on

the basis of field observation and experiments: Apply 100 to 150 pounds of nitrogen per acre from a concentrated source. This may be done all at one time in late winter or early spring, or divided into equal lots and applied at intervals during the season. The nitrogen should be applied evenly to as much of the soil surface as possible if rains are expected or placed in the furrows if the material is to be irrigated in, and the amount used adjusted according to the experience in each orchard.

Cover Crop

Broadcast at least five tons per acre of good dairy manure or other organic material as evenly as possible over the whole soil area in late summer or fall.

A winter cover crop in cultivated orchards, is also recommended. Either a volunteer cover crop or a mustard cover crop will prove satisfactory.

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SPORT SLANTS



By BILL WHITE, JR.
How optimistic should you get? This is a good question for all football fans, and it rises from the sad experience of Charles Moulds, a Palo Alto, Calif., haberdasher, who has just had to tuck a big supply of bright red ties away in mothballs. Before the season started, the Stanford U. Indians were rated as a "dream team". Their fans had them in the Rose Bowl before the first kick-off . . . and Brother Moulds ordered a hefty "passel" of red ties, each bearing the picture of a little Indian driving a miniature car to the Rose Bowl. Right away the Indians went on the war path. They scalped San Jose State 49-0, and bludgeoned Harvard 44-0; then Michigan took Stanford 27-7, and UCLA followed with a 14-7 win. At that point haberdasher Moulds tucked his ties away in the back room. Football games are still won on the gridiron . . . and this is one tie game that won't be played this season.

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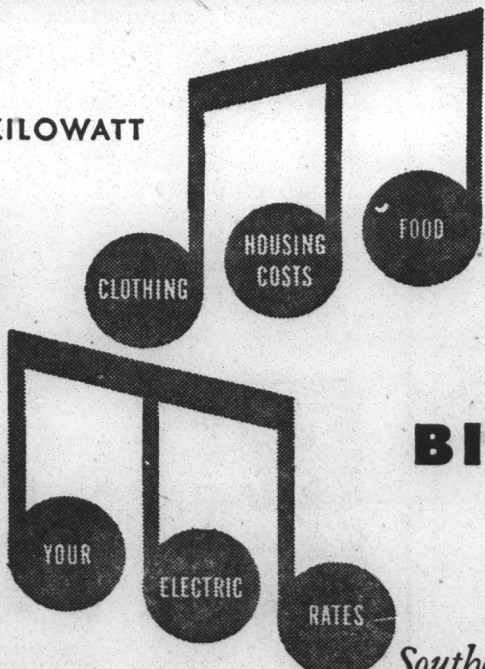
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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOSEPH MARTIN, also known as Joe Martin, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executor of the Last Will and Testament of Joseph Martin, also known as Joe Martin, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said deceased or against his estate, to file them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the above entitled court, at her office in the Court House in the City of Visalia, County of Tulare, State of California, or to exhibit such claims together with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executor, at the office of Gaylord N. Hubler, his attorney, on the second floor of the Bank of America building, in the City of Porterville, County of Tulare, State of California, which said last named office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said deceased.

JOHN T. MARTIN
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Joseph Martin, Deceased.
Date of First Publication, October 27, 1949.

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Fall budding of citrus and olives should be done as soon as possible. A cold period will probably prevent further budding until next spring.

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Price supports will be denied to growers of early California potatoes next year, it was announced yesterday by Secretary of Agriculture Charles Brannon, since California growers recently rejected a proposed federal marketing program.

Although Tulare county farmers will be concerned to some extent with the ruling, the action is aimed primarily at Kern county potato growers who produce 80 per cent of California's early spuds.

Another Guernsey Tops Sale



THIS RANCHOLM Guernsey heifer, eight months of age, consigned by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kennedy of Porterville, topped the recent Futurity sale of the Fresno County Guernsey Breeders association when it brought a price of \$500. Purchaser was Mrs. Leona Todd of the Elm Lane Farms, Fresno. With the animal is Mr. Kennedy; auctioneer is Bob Stanley of Artesia; assistant is C. W. Robinson, Lodi. (Cut courtesy Fresno Bee.)

REMODELING BEDROOMS IMPORTANT FACTOR IN GENERAL WELL BEING

By Mrs. Marguerite Wurtsbaugh
Home Advisor

A good night's sleep can sometimes mean the difference between success and failure the next day.

Farm families are urged to remember this when remodeling or building bedrooms in their homes.

Sleeping rooms need good ventilation and light at all times, some way to control the temperature, enough storage space, and enough room for the furniture without continual shin bumping.

Bedroom Size

Usually the size of the house determines the size of the bedroom. Building costs are high now, and the newer homes have smaller rooms to keep the expense as low as possible. Small rooms can be comfortable if there are enough windows and doors for good ventilation. A room size 11 x 12 feet can be comfortable, but one 12 x 14 is better.

Furniture in a small room should be arranged to get the most benefit from the light. Morning sun along the side of the bed or over the shoulder will not disturb a sleeper. Perhaps even the baby will sleep a little longer while the family eats breakfast in peace, if the sun is not in his eyes. Ventilation without draught is possible when the air comes in toward the side or the foot of the bed.

Small rooms can often be extended by adding a bay window. They are not costly and improve the appearance of the house from the outside as well as the inside. The bay window area is an excellent place to group furniture for sewing, reading, or resting.

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PIRATES MEET POWERFUL GIANTS IN COLLEGE FOOTBALL GAME ON PORTERVILLE TURF SATURDAY

By JIM HUGHES
The powerful College of the Sequoias Giants will appear on the local scene next Saturday evening at 8 o'clock to engage the Porterville College Pirates.
The Giants are very definitely pregame favorites. They feature the two platoon system, and boast one of the largest turnouts in the history of the institution.

Lose On Coast

The locals returned from a disastrous road trip to Santa Maria, last Friday, where they were soundly trounced 19-0, only to lose for the season, the services of 200 pound tackle Harold Massey.

In Massey's place, Dick Handley will start 175 pound Jarold Jarrett, who Handley described as being the outstanding lineman of the Santa Maria affair.

Leon Caldwell, nursing a back injury, may be forced to sit on the sidelines during the entire Visalia tilt. Halfback Bill Cline, now fully recovered, will regain his starting role Saturday evening.

Starting Lineup

The complete starting lineup will include Bill Wulff and Roy Buford, ends; Nap Easterbrook and Jarold Jarrett, tackles; Pres-

ton Williams and Terry Braly, guards; Marvin Green, center; quarterback Don Trueblood, halfbacks Bill Cline and Warren Mays and Fullback Mike Toriglian.

The coming contest will afford the opportunity of local residents to see the highly publicized Giant grid machine from Visalia, in action.

Egg Production At Record High During September

Hens in the United States really went to work in September, laying a total of 3,576 million eggs, a record high, two per cent above last year and 19 per cent above the 1938-47 average, according to the California Crop and Livestock Reporting service.

And the pattern was carried out all over the world, principal egg production countries showing a five per cent egg increase over last year.

Although production of eggs in the United States during the rest of the year will probably exceed last year, total commercial egg distribution for the period September through December may run less than last year with reduction of distribution from stored stocks.

ALFALFA SEED

A record crop of 16,260,000 pounds thresher-run alfalfa seed is estimated for California this year.

Subsoiling or deep chiseling of soils for better water penetration is only a temporary way to handle alkaline soils. Use of sulphur or gypsum is a more lasting way to open such soils.

OUTDOOR CALIFORNIA



First call for purchase of pheasant tags has been issued by the Division of Fish and Game on behalf of its 2,800 license agencies throughout the state. When the 10-day season opens November 18, sportsmen will be required to place a numbered tag in the leg of each male bird taken, under provisions of a new law passed by the 1949 state legislature. License agents and division offices are selling 10 tags for \$.1.

Recommendations of California sportsmen, game bird breeders, game management area operators and state personnel will be heard by the state Fish and Game commission in San Francisco tomorrow, when management area regulations for the 1949-50 season are to be decided upon.

No longer is the life of a fish a thing of privacy. The "Yellowfin," the nation's newest and best equipped marine research vessel is now operating under the flag of the California Division of Fish and Game and through the use of radar, sonar, short-wave radio, automatic steering devices, a fathometer, a bathythermograph and the very latest in technical fishing gear, will seek to determine size and species of schools of fish in coast waters and also determine physical and chemical conditions of the ocean in which the fish are found.

The law is cracking down on skippers of striped bass fishing boats who fail to report on all fish caught. Four arrests were made in the San Francisco bay region recently.

Hatcheries Set Records In September

Commercial hatcheries in California produced 5,700,000 baby chicks during September of 1948, according to the California Crop and Livestock Reporting service.

Commercial hatcheries of the nation produced 53,000,000 chicks in September, also a record total, 19 per cent above the previous September and 46 per cent above the 1943-47 average.

Timber Resources Chamber Subject

Increased public interest in safeguarding the nation's timber resources is highlighted in a new Forestry manual prepared by the chamber of commerce of the United States.

The manual is designed to interest local chambers and individuals in the importance of timber resources to the national economy.

FIRE SEASON OFFICIALLY ENDS IN SEQUOIA NATIONAL FOREST; FIRES INCREASE DURING SEASON

The 1949 fire season has been officially closed in the Sequoia National Forest under provisions of a declaration of the Regional Forester, under authority vested in him by the Secretary of Agriculture under regulation T-1, Section 1, according to Paul W. Statham, Sequoia National Forest supervisor.

It is not now necessary for campers to secure a campfire permit and carry a shovel and axe, and smoking is no longer prohibited in the Forest. The Forest is not considered too safe from a fire standpoint due to the small amount of precipitation received at this date, so everyone is urged to use extreme care with fire and do their utmost in protecting the water sheds, grazing lands, timber and vacation areas within the million and a quarter acres of the Sequoia National Forest, which are of such immense economic value to the entire surrounding area.

Supervisor Statham reminds the public that state law prohibits the throwing from a moving vehicle, any lighted substance which may cause a fire, and also requires that permits for burning debris be secured until December 1. These permits may be secured from Forest Service Ranger stations for burning on Government land, and from the State Division of Forestry for burning on State land.

A total of 99 fires have occurred to date on the Sequoia National Forest since January 1, 1949, as compared to 41 for the same date

in 1948. 2175 acres of valuable timber, grazing, and watershed lands have been burned over. Of the 99 fires occurring 37 were man-caused and contributed to 1800 acres of the entire amount burned.

Over \$100,000 of merchantable timber was burned in one 500 acre fire during early July, believed to be caused by a burning cigarette being carelessly discarded by a vacationist traveling on one of the Forest's trails.

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is suddenly lodged in the body of Johnathan Farnsworth, Wall Street tycoon, and then just as suddenly into K. O. Murdock's, world's heavyweight champion, some of the most surprising and most surprised people in the world are strangely affected.

Mrs. Ames (Alice Allumbaugh), the Farnsworth retainer for some 30 years, is moved to place a small wager on the outcome of her master's first adventure in the boxing ring, and Susie, the parlormaid (Ruth Schultz), shrieks with horror when she sees a saxophone hover in mid-air.

K. O. Murdock's manager Lefty (Ben Darling of Hanford) tears his hair at the unexpected and unexplained lunacy of his fighter just as he has finally become world's champion. And hopelessly entangled in this web of too many bodies and not enough souls is the harassed Inspector Williams (Ben Cole).

Reserved seat tickets are obtainable at Claubes' Pharmacy in Porterville for \$1.25. General Admission tickets, \$1 for adults, \$.50 for students and children, may now be purchased from any Boy Scout of the Mt. Whitney Area Council who are sponsoring all performances of Heaven Can Wait.

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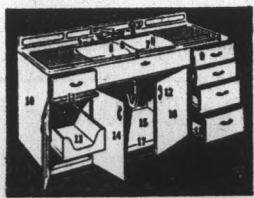
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CHARTER SEAL PRESENTED TO SPRINGVILLE 4-H

A charter seal and pins, certificates and year stripes were presented to members of the Springville 4-H club by Farm Advisor John Emo at a club meeting held October 20 in the Springville Community hall.

Members, parents and friends attended a potluck dinner prior to the business meeting and entertainment program included: Songs by J. J. and U. A. Hatfield; a report on the Davis convention by Evelyn Grimes; a report of awards and premiums from the Tulare county fair by John Trim-mell.

A feeding demonstration by Gene Pixley and Bill Pixley, a report on sewing awards won by the club, by Ina Vaughn; a piano solo by Billy Winn and a short talk by Mr. Emo.

Vandalia 4-H Tour Date Set As November 25

Educational tour for the Vandalia 4-H club was set for November 25 at a meeting of the club held last week at the Vandalia school and plans for a Halloween party on October 30 were also made.

Project reports were presented by Verna Bellah and Beverly Aston and as a member improvement project, it was decided to study first aid.

Views Requested On Poultry Plans

The U. S. Department of Agriculture this week announced an extension of the period in which interested parties can submit written views and comments on the voluntary regulation for use by the poultry industry in obtaining official grade and inspection certificates for dressed poultry and rabbits.

The regulations, originally expected to become effective about October 25, now are expected to be issued in final form about November 1, to become effective January 1, 1950. Interested parties will have until October 31 to submit their views.

Certified Seed Ready For Farmers

There no longer is need of farmers buying just ordinary grain seed, reports the Agricultural Extension service of the University of California. Certified Blue Tag seed is now available for planting this fall of most varieties of grain which do well in Tulare County.

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Dust Storms Will Be Principal Subject Of Soil Conservation Meeting Tomorrow

Dust storms in the southern San Joaquin valley will be the principal matter coming before a hearing in Bakersfield tomorrow of the joint California senate and assembly committee on soil conservation, with official statement being that the committee will "initially consider the problem of wind and water soil erosion and the health problems incident thereto with particular emphasis on the dust problems."

Serving on the committee is

Harlan Hagen, Hanford, 36th district assemblyman; chairman of the committee is Senator Jess Dorsey of Bakersfield. All interested persons are invited to attend the hearing, scheduled for the supervisor's room in the Kern county courthouse.

Following the all-day meeting, a supper will be given at the El Tejon hotel, sponsored by the Kern County chamber of commerce, at which Professor John Barnes, soil conservation expert from the University of California will speak.

Want Concession At Millerton Lake?

Three concessions at Millerton lake, northeast of Fresno, will be up for approval the end of this year, according to an announcement from the bureau of reclamation.

Included are the Fishing Village, providing boats and fishing tackle; the Lake Millerton Company Inc., providing lunch room facilities and boat excursions and the Friant garage, providing emergency towing and car repairs. All concessions are in the Millerton Lake National Recreational area, administered by the National Park service in cooperation with the bureau of reclamation.

Applications for the concessions, including those of present concession holders, will be received up to the close of business on November 15, 1949 by Superintendent Hugh Peyton, National Park Service, Millerton Lake National Recreational Area, Friant, California.

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OIL WELL

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building up for the last two weeks, according to Mr. Hudson.
The wildcat, spudded on March 10, 1948, is in an area that has never been explored to the depth that the hole has now reached. Previous drillings in the old Terra Bella field stopped at what was believed to be "bottom" at 1,200 to 1,400 feet.

Four Rigs

Four rigs have been used on the project to date, each new rig being brought in to provide equipment capable of greater depth. The present rig, operated by the Tine Gaiser Drilling company of Bakersfield, is able to reach a depth of 6,000 feet.

Officers of the Hudson Oil company, elected last week, were A. M. Park, president; Mr. Hudson, vice president and Fred Rohrer, secretary-treasurer. About 100 stockholders, some 60 of them from the Porterville area, are financially interested in the project.

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Woodville Gets Rural Mail Station Dec. 1

A Woodville Rural Station, to distribute mail in the Woodville district, will be established as a tributary of the Porterville post-office effective December 1, 1949, according to information received this week by Porterville Postmaster Chester Dunning from C. V. Burke, assistant postmaster general, Washington, D.C.

Hugh R. Honeycutt was named as clerk-in-charge of the Woodville office in the same order that established the station.

The improved mail delivery and postal service for the Woodville community came about through efforts of the Woodville chamber of commerce, the Porterville chamber of commerce and Postmaster Dunning.

Postal authorities recommended that the station be established, following an inspection tour early last summer. At the same time, recommendation was made for a system of central mail distribution for the Woodville Farm Labor camp.

Virtual "City" Is Planned For State Hospital

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in excess of \$12,000,000 to build a setup that will offer facilities for 2,500 patients and will include warehouses, an auditorium, schools and housing for about one third of the 300 to 400 employees at the hospital.

The initial \$7,500,000 has been appropriated by the state legislature and funds for the start of construction have been made available.

In the party visiting Porterville yesterday were: State Architect Anson Boyd, James A. Gilliam, staff architectural designer; C. O. Elliger, associate hydraulic engineer; Charles Peterson, supervising structural engineer and Charles Rhodes, senior mechanical engineer.

A 6 pound, 13 ounce son, Rodson, was born Wednesday morning in the Visalia hospital to Mr and Mrs. Pete Tewksbury, of Porterville.

FARM PRICES CONTINUE DOWNWARD HOWEVER VOLUME IS STILL HIGH AS AG. DEPT. SURVEYS NATION

Better demands for metals, particularly steel, and low inventories relative to sales in many non-durable lines brought new life to summer business on a national scale, according to a survey by the United States Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Agricultural Economics, however, prices received by farmers have continued downward to a parity ratio of 101, only one point above parity, the lowest point since the nation entered World War II.

Late summer crop conditions, however, held the 1949 all-crop volume at 30 per cent above the 1923-32 average, second only to the 1948 record year. Wheat harvest has been disappointing, boll weevil damage to cotton is reported in the south and dryness in some areas has cut potato, summer vegetable and corn production.

More Meat

Larger meat supplies are indicated for the coming months with a 15 per cent increase in the spring pig crop and with a 24 per cent increase in cattle on feed as of August 1. Total 1949 meat will be up from 1948 but grass-fed beef, veal and lamb will be lower this fall than in the fall of 1948.

Indications are that price of hogs will decline, at least seasonally and may hit support levels. Prices of cattle are also expected to go down some.

On the dairy front, milk production for the first seven months of the year was up two per cent, although actual number of cows in production is somewhat smaller than last year.

Cotton Less

National cotton crop is being

estimated at slightly below last year; prices on deciduous fruits are lower than a year ago with a larger fresh supply and potato production is off generally from 20 to 25 per cent.

With generally lower farm prices, support prices are now holding more interest for farmers than at any time since the war.

DATE IS SET FOR SPRINGVILLE TURKEY SHOOT

A turkey shoot will be sponsored by the Springville Lions club on Sunday, November 20, it was decided at the regular club meeting this week.

Funds raised by the event will be used for facilities being donated by the club to the Springville Youth center. Free beans and coffee will be served to persons participating in the shoot.

Also planned was a Masquerade Halloween dance, to be held Saturday, October 29.

KNOTHOLE BANQUET

Members of the Porterville Post-office baseball team that competed in Porterville's summer Knothole league were entertained by Postmaster Chester Dunning and the postoffice staff with a banquet at Rosso's cafe in Woodville, Tuesday evening.

NOT CANDIDATE

R. B. Oliver, chairman of the Tulare County board of supervisors, has announced that he will not be a candidate for reelection next spring. He said that he will support R. A. (Bob) Oliver of Dinuba, who is not a relation.

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COTTON PICKING IS IN HIGH GEAR

The San Joaquin valley's huge cotton crop is one-third harvested, according to a report by the Agricultural Labor Bureau of the San Joaquin valley, with ginnings reaching a new high of over 110,000 bales gined this week.

Cotton production in the Valley was described as being in "high gear." Over 100,000 workers are being paid at the rate of over \$3,500,000 each week. With the \$3.00 hundred pound wage rate being paid, average skilled cotton pickers are earning between \$12 and \$15 per day.

Families engaged in the harvest are finding it the most lucrative harvest operation of the year. The wage bill for picking this year's crop alone will exceed \$42,000,000.

Grand champion Hereford steer of the American Royal Livestock show in Kansas City was sold for \$1.50 per pound to bring \$1,785.



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Swine Brands Subject Of Meeting Friday

"Swine Brands and Methods of Application" will be discussed by Clyde Harris, bureau of livestock identification, Sacramento, at a meeting of the swine department of the Tulare County Farm Bureau to be held Friday, at 8 o'clock in the Visalia office of the bureau.

The meeting is open to all swine producers of Tulare county, according to Allen Grant, swine department chairman.

PRUNE PROGRAM

First-hand reports on the prune marketing program and brief outline of its future plans will be heard by prune growers at the Second Annual Prune day, October 29, on the Davis campus of the University of California. R. A. McArthur, chairman of the prune program committee, will be the speaker.

Other matters on the agenda include discussion of pest and disease problems and developments in the field of mechanical harvesters.

WERDEL TO SPEAK

Congressman Tom Werdel will speak at a meeting of the Kings County Republican Central committee to be held at Peden's cafe, Hanford, 7 P. M., November 4. Members of the Tulare County Republican Central committee have been invited to attend.

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STATE SPORTSMEN WILL DISCUSS MANY SUBJECTS AT CAMP NELSON MEETING OVER COMING WEEK-END

A wide variety of subjects, relating to wild life conservation, fish and game laws, legislation and other matters concerning sportsmen, will be discussed at a meeting of the Sportsmen's Council of Central California over the coming week-end at Camp Nelson.

On Friday afternoon and evening, sportsmen will register, enjoy trout fishing and hold some committee meetings. Official general sessions will open at 9:30 A. M., Saturday, under direction of G. W. (Phil) Philpott, president of the council.

Slated for Saturday evening is a banquet in the Camp Nelson lodge, with Lieutenant Governor Goodwin Knight as principal speaker and with State Senator J. Howard Williams, of Porterville, presiding. New council officers will be installed by E. L. Macaulay, executive officer of the California Division of Fish and Game and a dance will close the evening.

Sunday sessions will include a regular council meeting to hear committee reports, adopt resolutions and set the time and place for the next convention.

Serving on the arrangements committee are: Earl Gray, president, Southern Tulare County Sportsmen's association; Leon Leeper, president, Lindsay Fish and Game Protective association; Harry J. Johnson, director, Southern Tulare County Sportsmen's association; Wheeler W. Green, director, Fresno County Sportsmen's club and Cecil A. Phipps, secretary, Millerton Lake Sportsmen's club.

Among noted speakers will be

Richard L. Boke, regional director, United States bureau of reclamation; David Selleck, state game manager; A. C. Taft, chief, bureau of fish, conservation; Ben Glading, acting chief, bureau of game conservation and a number of other officials of California conservation and fish and game groups.

Official welcome to visiting sportsmen will be extended at the opening session by Supervisor Rodgers L. Moore of Porterville. A number of private cabins at Camp Nelson will be opened over the week-end to care for more than 200 sportsmen from the San Joaquin valley and the state of California who have made reservations.

Child Care Center Rules Are Summarized

Forty-nine children are being cared for either full or part time in the Porterville Child Care Center on the south end of the Olive Street school campus, with the project administered by the Porterville Elementary school system.

Children from the ages of 2 to 15 years are eligible for the Center. Families having an income exceeding \$275 per month are not eligible to use the Center, unless one of the parents is a nurse, teacher, a G. I. student or unless there are five or more members in the family.

The Center is financed to the extent of \$17,000 from the state and \$7,000 in fees.

THE MISSES WALLACE, BURNS, SHORT, LEWIS AND FICK TO RULE OVER NOVEMBER 11 HOMECOMING

By JIM HUGHES

Miss Barbara Wallace has been chosen by her fellow Porterville College students to occupy the throne of the Queen's float during the annual Porterville Homecoming and Armistice Day parade.

Miss Wallace will begin her reign over the local celebrants when she receives the crown at the American Legion Coronation Ball, November 10th.

The attractive blond will be feted by numerous dinners and dances in her honor, during the celebration.

Frances Burns, Lois Short, Wanda Lewis, and Nancy Fick were elected to attend Queen Barbara, and accompany her on the colorful Armistice Day Float.

The new sovereign is a native of Tulsa, Oklahoma. While a freshman, attending high school there, she received the American Legion award, "Most Outstanding Girl of the Year."

Miss Wallace avidly declared that she definitely has no Hollywood aspirations. Her interests center primarily around the legitimate theater.

Barbara's stage career is well underway, since she appeared in "Jane Eyre", at the Garrick Theater of Fresno, and has been active in Laguna Playhouse projects. In Porterville's own Barn Theater,



Queen Barbara

the young actress was featured in the summer productions, "What A Life", and "I Remember Mama". She will be seen in the forthcoming "Heaven Can Wait", "Arsenic And Old Lace", and "My Sister Aileen". On station KARM, she had her own radio program, "For Feminine Ears."

Barbara stated that she thought being chosen queen was just about the nicest thing that could happen to a girl. She was very surprised to receive the honor, for she is comparatively new to the Porterville scene.

Miss Wallace declared that Porterville was such a friendly town, and as an example, she cited the wholehearted approval, cooperation, and support of the Barn Theater project by the citizens of the community.

PROFESSIONAL BALL PLAYER TOURNAMENT

On the fire and definitely cooking is a golf tournament for members of the Professional Baseball Players association to be held in December on the Porterville Municipal course.

The ball players, both present players and former players, annually stage a tournament in southern California and at present, directors of the Porterville Packers are seeking to bring association members to Porterville.

Assistance in arranging the tournament and in entertaining the players while in Porterville will be given by members of the Porterville Lodge of Elks.

The California State fair at Sacramento this year made a profit of \$200,000.

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has the same basic problems as any other farm crop. Mr. Richards uses about 250 pounds of ammonium nitrate fertilizer per acre in the fall, grows a cover crop, then applies 200 pounds of a nitrate fertilizer in the spring. This year, he plans to use one of the "complete" commercial fertilizers.

Irrigation

Two systems of irrigation are used—flooding and furrows. From 24 to 36 inches of water is needed by the grove during a season, Mr. Richards states.

One serious pest is usually aphids, controlled with an application or two of a nicotine spray, however, during the past season the spiders and mites that moved in on local cotton fields also hit the walnuts, necessitating additional pest control measures.

Harvest of the walnut crop starts about the first of October each year and is completed early in November. About 80 per cent of the nation's walnuts are produced in California.

RAIN!

Prediction of another cycle of wet years in California, although perhaps not starting with the approaching winter, is being made by Clarence H. Johnson, professor of irrigation on the Davis campus of the University of California.

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